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1. RE PARAS 2.A. AND 3 REFTEL, CONGRESS WAS PROVIDED FORMAL CERTIFICATIONS ON AUGUST 25 REGARDING THE PROPOSED FMS SALES OF ONE GUIDED MISSILE FRIGATE AND MK48 TORPEDOES TO AUSTRALIA. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 36(B) OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT, AS AMENDED, THE QUOTE LETTER OF OFFER SHALL NOT BE ISSUED IF THE CONGRESS, WITHIN THIRTY CALENDAR DAYS AFTER RECEIVING SUCH CERTIFICATION, ADOPTS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STATING THAT IT OBJECTS TO THE PROPOSED SALE. UNQUOTE. UNCLASSIFIED

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- 2. AS APPROPRIATE, EMBASSY MAY INFORM HOST GOVERNMENT OF THESE CERTIFICATIONS TO THE CONGRESS.
- 3. EMBASSY WILL BE ADVISED IF ANY ACTION IS TAKEN BY CONGRESS WITHIN NEXT THIRTY DAYS OBJECTING TO THESE PROPOSED SALES. CHRISTOPHER

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